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Jean Hanson
Augusta, Wis 45

Dear Hector,
I guess I always
call you that. Remember
collecting clothes for
the drive. Lots of fun wasn't
it. Best of luck to you Jean.
(Donadear
(Serious)

Dear Jean,
It's been nice
knowing you & hope
we get to know each
other better. Good Luck.
A friend
Dorothy K.

Best wishes for
you Jean
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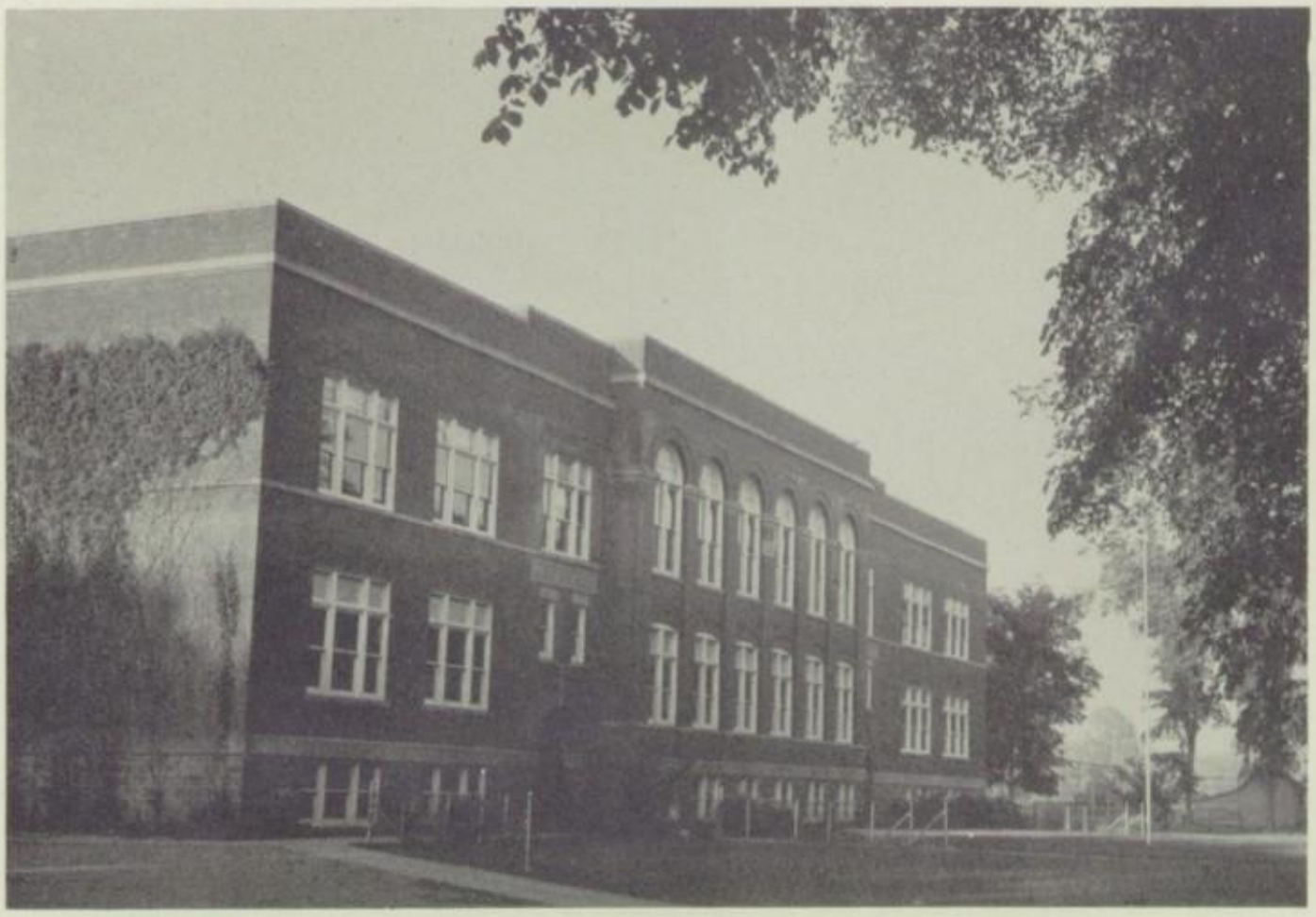

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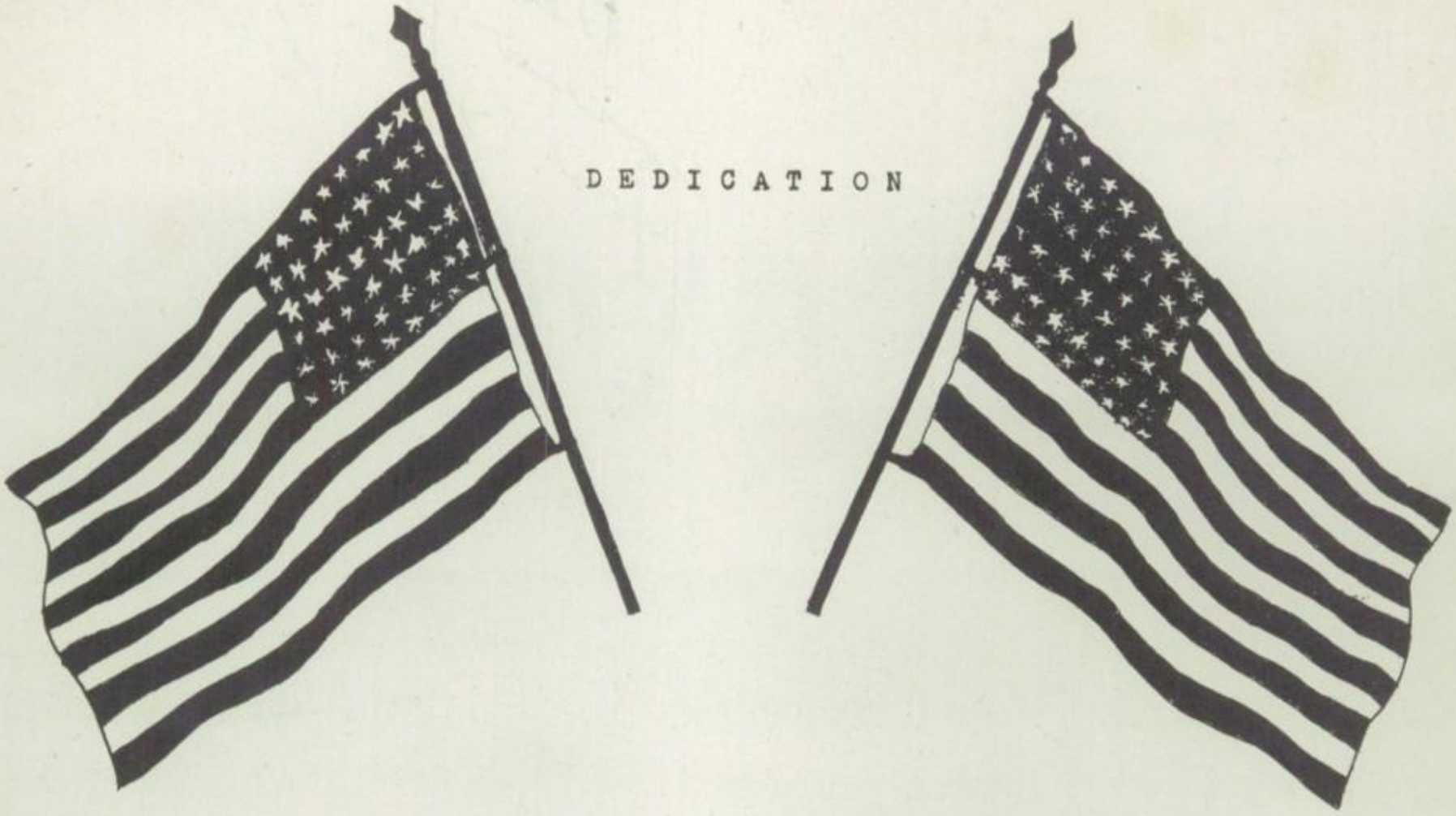

DEDICATION

We the seniors of 1945 wish to dedicate this annual to those former members of our high school who have given their lives in the service of our country.

Ervin Goede

Ruggles Monroe

John Rockwell

John Smith

Leonard Scheel

Dear Jean,
If you can imagine it — I'm at a loss for anything to say. I won't tell you not to forget our happy days because those glorious hours of life will forever remain the exaggerated lovely algebra adventures that I forget. Best of luck to you and remember the happy times we had in school fun. all three often and of with Emily Post says that this sort of thing Carole L. Smith

F. G. MacLachlan

Superintendent of Schools

CLASS MOTTO

We shall venture into the sea of life
to seek the harbor of success.

CLASS COLORS

Blue and Gold

HONOR ROLL

Jack Bennett

Richard Emanuel

Elizabeth Kaufman

Adeline Mueller

Betty Kuckenbecker

Earl Drehmel

Loraine Jungerberg

Ellis Anderson
"The glory of a young man is in his strength."
Basketball 1-2-3-4
Annual Staff 4
Class Play 3-4
Dramatics Club 3
Football 3-4
Lettermen's Club 2-3-4
Treasurer 1-3
Track 1
Pep Club 3-4
Projectionist 3-4
Tumbling 1

George Barstow
"Polite, quiet in manner—a gentleman."
Forensics 1

Mildred Behrens
"Quiet and always full of fun, Mildred is liked by everyone.
Band 2-3
Pep Band 2
Home Ec. Club
Pep Club 3

Jack Bennett
"I have a mind of my own, and it takes more than a teacher to change it."
Forensics 1-2-3-4
Band 1-2-3-4
Annual Staff 4
Class Play 2-3-4
Football 3-4
Pep Band 3-4
Lettermen's Club 1-2-3-4
Pep Club 3-4
Orchestra 3-4
Projectionist 2-3-4
Dramatics Club 3-4

Dorothy Brown
"If laughing is good for ones heart, she will live forever."
Home Ec. Club 1
Pep Club 3

May life be filled with happiness and success. Dorothy

Audrey Dickinsen
"A country girl at heart."
Home Ec. Club 1

Milton Dickinsen
"I can't think of two things at once—so I think of her."
Basketball 1-2-3-4
Football 1-2-3-4
Dramatics Club 3-4
Class Play 4
Pep Club 3-4
Track 1
Baseball 1-4

Earl Drehmel
"He's a quiet man, but quite a man."
Football 1-2-3-4
Basketball 3-4
Track 1
Baseball 3
Pep Club 3-4
Lettermen's Club 4
Class President 2
Class Secy. & Treas. 4
Class Play 3-4
Annual Staff 4

Naomi DuRoy
"Silence never hurt anyone."
Home Ec. Club 1-2

Ruth Elbert
"She studies, but she's perfectly normal."
Home Ec. Club 1
Annual Staff 4
Newspaper Staff 4

Arlene Emanuel
"I never worry, I never fret; what I can't remember, I just forget."
Glee Club 2-3-4
Dramatics Club 3-4
G. A. A. 3
Forensics 2
Class Secretary 2
Pep Club 3-4

Dick Emanuel
"Man among men but mostly among women."
Basketball 1-2-3-4
Football 1-2-3-4
Track 1
Baseball 3
Class Play 2-3-4
Lettermen's Club 1-2-3-4
Pep Club 1-2-3-4
Annual Staff 3-4
Band 1-2-3-4
Pep Band 1-2-3-4
Dramatics Club 3-4
Orchestra 3

Clifford Fredrick
"If school life is liberty, give me death."
Track 1
Basketball 1
Football 4
Dramatics Club 3
Lettermen's Club 3
Pep Club 3-4

Donald Gerike
"You can't always tell about those quiet fellows."
Football 2-4
Basketball 2-3-4
Track 1-2-4
Baseball 3

Marilene Ginther
"Some day I'm going to get married, but right now I'm waiting for the inspiration."
Band 2-3-4
Pep Club 2-3-4
Dramatics Club 3-4
G. A. A. 2-3
Forensics 1
Newspaper Staff 4
Cheerleading 2-3-4

James Golden
"He seldom does today what he can do tomorrow."
Football 1-2-3-4
Dramatics Club 3
Baseball 3
Class Play 3
Lettermen's Club 3-4
Pep Club 3-4

Best wishes for happiness & success always
Lucky

Corrine Hagedorn
"She loves only one—one at a time."
Pep Club 1
Home Ec. Club 1
Vice President 1
G. A. A. 3

Gladys Haskins
"I would have been bigger if I hadn't stopped growing."
Pep Club 3
Home Ec. Club 3

Lots of luck to you in your future years of school.
Gladys.

Jean Herrick
"I'm short--but I do get along."
Home Ec. Club 1
Newspaper Staff 4
Glee Club 1-2-3
Class Play 3-4
Pep Club 1-2-3-4

Janice Hewitt
"Her manner is quiet but don't judge her by it."
Dramatics Club 4
Pep Club 4

Success and happiness to a swell girl. Don't forget Dick & I'll be seeing you.
Sincerely yours

Georgiana Hills
"And her tongue ran on and on and on----"
Pep Band 1-2-3-4
Band 1-2-3-4
Glee Club 2-3-4
Class Play 3-4
Forensics 1-3-4
Pep Club 3-4
Dramatics Club 3-3-4
Newspaper Staff 4
Annual Staff 4
Class Treasurer 2

Phyllis Honadel
"Now don't you look at me like that, you know my heart is easily cracked."
Band 2-3-4
Class Play 3-4
Forensics 1-2-3
G. A. A. 2-3
Pep Club 1-2-3-4
Dramatics Club 3-4
Home Ec. Club 1-2
Pep Band 4

Betty Johnson
"Servicemen make the best friends."
Home Ec. Club 1

Loraine Jungerberg
"She's usually talking about the grand times she's had—and believe me, they're interesting."
Pep Club 1-2-3
G. A. A. 3
Band 2
Glee Club 1
Home Ec. Club 1
Newspaper Staff 4

Betty Kaufman
"She's on time—once in a while."
Band 1-2-3-4
G. A. A. 2-3-4
Pep Club 1-2-3
Dramatics Club 2-3-4
Class Play 4
Forensic 1
Pep Band 1-2-3-4
Newspaper 4
Class President 1

Eunice Knitter
"Not so innocent and sophisticated as she looks."
Home Ec. Club 1

Betty Kuckenbecker
"There are two sides to every question. My side and the wrong side."
Band 1-2-3-4
Forensics 1-3-4
Class Play 3-4
Dramatics Club 3-4
Pep Club 4
Glee Club 2-3-4
Pep Band 1-2-3-4
Newspaper Staff 4

Margaret Lange
"It's better to sleep in class than waste a perfectly good night."
Home Ec. Club 2
Dramatics Club 4
Pep Club 4
Forensics 1
Glee Club 2

Dale Lighthizer
"Oh well, Napoleon was small too."
Basketball 1
Vice President 3
Track 2
Baseball 3
Tumbling 1

Frank Lowry
"Nearly killed once by a train of thought passing through his head."
Basketball 1-3-4
Football 1-2-3-4
Dramatics Club 1-2-3-4
Pep Club 2-3-4
Class Play 3
Lettermen's Club 1-2-3-4
Tumbling 1

Doris Luedtke
"Her heart is like the moon, ever changing, but always with a man in it."

Home Ec. Club 1-2
Glee Club 4

Adeline Mueller
"She greets everyone with a smile."

Forensics 1
Band 1-2-3-4
Pep Club 3-4
Pep Band 1-2-3-4
Dramatics Club 2-3-4
Class Play 4
Debate 1
Glee Club 1-2-3-4
Annual Staff 3-4
Newspaper Staff 4

Now that Jim is ready to graduate I really start to get to know him. Best of Luck to a swell girl. Sally

Goldine Neuman
"I don't believe in love at first sight, but I do believe in taking a second look."

Band 2-3-4
Dramatics Club 3-4
Pep Club 1-2-3-4
Home Ec. Club 1
Annual Staff 4
Newspaper Staff 4
Cheerleading 3-4
Class Play 3-4
Glee Club 4
G. A. A. 2

Kenneth Schacht
"Girls are a nuisance, but I wouldn't mind having one."

Pep Club 4
Basketball 4
Baseball 3-4
Transfer from Fall Creek

Wallace Shong
"Girls are bothersome, but I like to be bothered."

Orchestra 3-4
Football 3-4
Annual Staff 4
Basketball 3-4
Pep Band 2-3-4
Band 1-2-3-4
Dramatics Club 3-4
Pep Club 3-4
Class Play 3-4
Class Pres. 3-4
Track 1
Baseball 3-4
Lettermen's Club 3-4

Charles Shoemaker
"All great men are dead, and I'm not feeling so well myself."

Football 4
Annual Staff
Track 1
Baseball 3

Best of luck in the future
Carol

Carol Smith
"A school day has its delights, but it can't compare with high school nights."

Home Ec. Club 1
Newspaper Staff 4
Dramatics Club 3-4
Glee Club 3-4
Class Play 3-4
Forensics 2-3-4
Pep Club 2-3

Heidi Smith
"She's here, I heard her giggle."

Newspaper Staff 4

There's hoping you have as much fun in high school as I have had.
Lots of Luck.
Love Sweetie.

Best of Luck
Bill Sugars

William Sugars
"The more I see of women, the more I like cats."

Basketball 4
Football 4
Class Secretary 3
Vice President 4
Pep Club 3-4
Newspaper Staff 1
Profectionist 4

Anna Tumm
"Life without a laugh is very dull."

Home Ec. Club 1
Newspaper Staff 4

Lots of Luck to you always
Anna

Arnold Tumm
"Never says too much—never gets in dutch."

Beverly West
"There are other men then those in school."
Home Ec. Club 2

Dorothy Zank
"A girl who always does her part, and who excels in the work of art."

Elmer Zank
"For disturbance I care not, being myself a peaceful man."
Football 3-4
Basketball 4

Here's wishing you the best of luck in the future.
Bev

Loris Zielsdorf
"Her life is a series of adventures; with a different hero in each one."

Dramatics Club 3-4
Pep Club 3-4
Class Play 3-4
Forensics 1-2-3-4
Newspaper Staff 4
Annual Staff 4
Cheerleader 3-4

Sincere best wishes for the future. May your last school year be successful.
Sincerely
Loris.

Lala Zell
"Worry and I have never met."
Home Ec. Club 1

CLASS OFFICERS

President—Wally Shong

Vice President—Bill Sugars

Secretary-Treasurer—Earl Drehmel

Dear Jean,
Best of luck and much success.
Wally

2nd Row-Drehmel, Elbert, Hilts, Emanuel, Mueller Zielsdorf, Neuman, Anderson
1st Row- Miss Harrison, Bennett, Shoemaker, Anderson, Emanuel, Shong, Miss Fortnum.

Editor----------Dick Emanuel
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Associate Editor----------Sherwood Anderson
Assistant Business Manager----------Judy Emanuel
Advertising Managers----------Loris Zielsdorf
Jack Bennett
Assistant Editor----------Wally Shong
Art Editor----------Charles Shoemaker
Sports Editor----------Earl Drehmel
Assistant Art Editor----------Ellis Anderson
Typists----------Goldine Neumann
Janna Hilts
Ruth Elbert

Annual Staff

The "Beaver" staff is a senior organization, with the exception of two junior members who will automatically become editor and business manager of the 1945 annual.

Dick Emanuel and Adeline Mueller inherited the positions of editor and business manager on this year's staff. The Editor and Manager selected other seniors and two junior members to assist them in this year's production of the '45 Beaver.

Following the appointment of the staff, actual work on the annual was begun. All members cooperated and gave freely of their time to insure the success of this year's annual. Much credit goes to Miss Harrison, for her guidance was invaluable to us.

I have enjoyed having you in my class, Jean. The best wishes I can wish you for what ever you undertake in the future.

Miss L. C. Henderson

Lots of luck and happiness in the future.

Junior Class

Alice

CLASSES

5-23-45

Dear Jean,

Wasn't it fun last night? I had a wonderful time. The shower and you're sweet remembrance were a complete surprise. I hope you have a swell time in the future. To remember you forever. Best of luck and happiness in the future.

Junior Class

Best of luck
& a swell class
to graduate.
Jeanie D.

Best of luck in the future

Bess

Best of luck and success in the future — Frank Y.

Best Wishes to a sweet Sophs. Harrick

JUNIOR CLASS

Good luck to a swell kid Fern D.

Best of Luck Ada Fern

your school friend Norma Mae

4th Row: Herrick, Schmidt, Barka, Rahl, Warner Shoemaker, Lange, Golden, Hoehn, Emanuel, Henry.
3rd Row: Schumacher, Ruscin, Arries, Dolotta, W. Johnson, Dobrenz, Glenz, Ayres, Pothos, Mr. Winch.
2nd Row: M. Erdman, Weise, Lengyel, Rugotzke, Sperber, Stemens, Bauch, Brunzlick, Taggart, Sutton, Miss Hendrickson.
1st Row: Halvorson, Roepke, Schalinske, Fischer, B. Erdman, Hubbard, Anderson, D. Johnson.

Best wishes Barbara Lewis

4th Row: Jerome, Walker, Arndt, Young, Johnson, Jacobson, Rahl, Hadorn, D. Helgerson, Jungerberg.
3rd Row: Miller, Smith, Mueller, Junk, McLellan, Lighthizer, Rahl, Daniels, Zillmer, Balliett, Behrens, Huth, DuRoy.
2nd Row: Miss Harrison, McCune, Ostrum, Mueller, Hall, Hadorn, Staats, Lewis, Timm, Jaenke, Haldeman, Lambert, Hansen.
1st Row: R. Helgerson, Kuehn, Karlen, Carlson, Yule, McAdam, Knuth, Kaiser, McCune.

Best wishes Charles Kuehn

Best wishes to a swell girl. Irene D.

Best wishes to a swell kid. Beatrice.

Best wishes to a swell kid. Helen McCune

Best wishes to a swell kid. Beatrice.

SOPHOMORE CLASS

FRESHMAN CLASS

4th Row: Ida, Zank, Troxel, Hoehn, B. Smith, R. Sieg, Golden, MacLachlan, Dickinsen, Brunzlick, Pettis.
3rd Row: Mr. Humphrey, Zell, Krenz, Reetz, Lange, Glenz, Squires, McCarty, Eaton, Ballient, Nerton, Rahl, Miss Kube.
2nd Row: Arries, J. Smith, Hubbard, Drehmel, Dobrenz, Shoemaker, Kramschuster, Shefchik, Zielsdorf, Taylor, Walde, Hammond.
1st Row: Olson, Wolfgang, Stark, Lewis, Haskins, Stark, Mierow, Lewis, B. Sieg, Sutton.

3rd Row: Strauch, Markham, Jaenke, Zank, Lawson, Mierow, Rose, Solie.
2nd Row: Travis, Livermore, Schroeder, Sieg, R. Zank.
1st Row: Erdman, Grams, Coakely, Zebarth, Kramschuster, Ives, Miss Barnes.

8TH GRADE

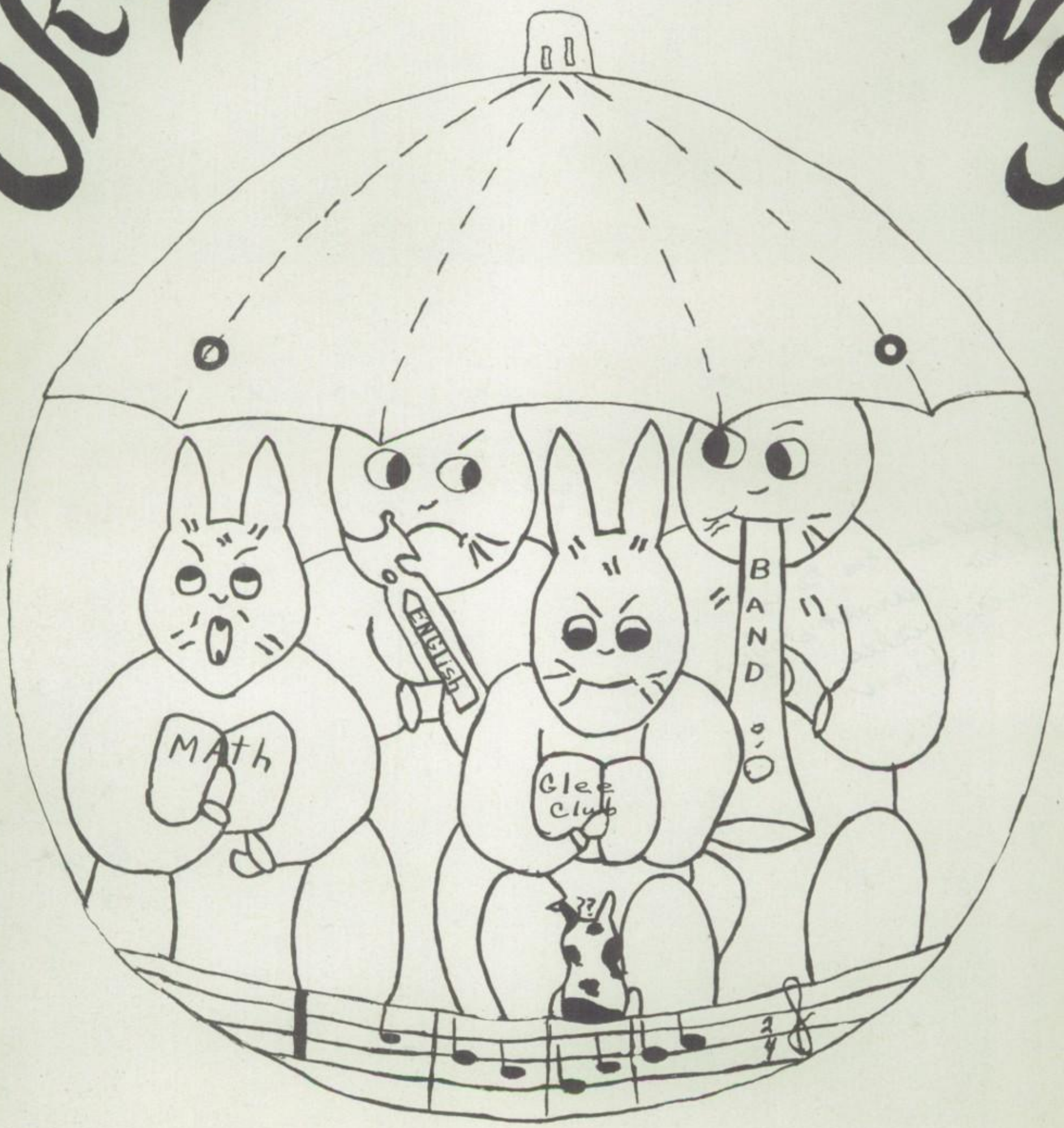
SEVENTH GRADE

3rd Row: Rucks, Goede, Christianson, A. Boettcher, P. Boettcher, Donnelly, Eaton.
2nd Row: Zillmer, Kling, Gilbertson, Berry, Shong, M. Rahl, D. Rahl,
1st Row: Lambrecht, Livermore, Brunzlick, Houn, Shefchik, J. Herrick, D. Herrick, Mrs. Bennett.

Good Luck to you in the future
Clarence

6TH HOUR STUDY HALL

ORGANIZATIONS



HOME EC. CLUB

Lots of luck through high school
Ruby D.

2nd Row: Taylor, Zebarth, Sutton, Lighthizer, Zillmer, Dobrenz, E. Glenz, Jerome.
1st Row: Hammond, Miss Kube, Zank, Schroeder, Sieg, R. Dobrenz, A. Glenz, Taggart.

Best of luck and success. You're a swell girl
Gloria

The best of luck and success in everything you do.
Joanne L.

4th Row: Young, Bennett, Anderson, Dickenson, Mueller, McLellan, Lambert, Schmidt, Emanuel, Lowry, Shong, Miss Fortnum.
3rd Row: Hoehn, P. Lange, Hilts, Honadel, Kuckenbecker, Warner, Shoemaker, Hanson, Balliett, M. Lange, Ginther, Smith.
2nd Row: Kaufman, Ostrum, A. Mueller, J. Emanuel, Miller, Mueller, Stevens, Staats, A. Emanuel. Hewitt, Zielsdorf, Neumann.
1st Row: Johnson, Jacobson, Yule.

DRAMATICS CLUB

I hope you enjoy your vacation, Jean, and had much happiness in your future school days.
Lovingly yours,
M. Jorstad

PEP CLUB

Good Luck
To sweet
Thomore
Rose

3rd Row: Bennett, Anderson, Dickenson, Shoemaker, Schacht, Sugars, Drehmel, D. Emanuel, Lowry, Shong, E. Anderson.
2nd Row: Young, Johnson, Fredrick, Hilts, Honadel, Kuckenbecker, Balliett, A. Emanuel, M. Lange, Hewitt.
1st.Row: Jacobson, Rahl, Hoehn, P. Lange, Mueller, Staats, Timm, Behrens, Miss Portnum.
Cheerleaders: Zielsdorf, Neumann, Ginther, J. Emanuel.

Well Jean it sure has been swell knowing you and see you next year. lots luck to a swell girl
Pat

Best of luck and success in the future Jean.
Dear Jean, Remember all the good times we've had. Good luck to a swell girl.
Dorothy

LETTERMENS CLUB

3rd Row: Drehmel, Gerike, Dickenson,
2nd Row: Young, Jacobson, Johnson, Shoemaker, Lowry,
1st Row: Shong, Fredrick, Emanuel, S. Anderson, E. Anderson, Bennett

3rd Row: Hilts, Smith, Walde, Newton, Kramschuster, Ostrum, Mueller, McLellan, D. Smith, Barka, Neuman, J. Smith.
2nd Row: Miller, Mueller, Lange, Golden, Lambert, Haldeman, Hanson, Balliett, Lange, A. Emanuel, Johnson, Taylor.
1st Row: Mueller, Warner, Balliett, Luedtke, Ruscin, Hubbard, DuRoy, Walker, Staats, Timm, Shefechek, Kuckenbecker, Mr. Winch.

2nd Row: Stevens, Haldeman, A. Zielsdorf, Lambert, Emanuel, Kaufman, Lange, Golden, Hoehn.
1st Row: Bauch, Hanson, Rahl, S. Balliett, Newton, Kramschuster, Schefchik, Shoemaker, Miss Feske.

NEWSPAPER STAFF

3rd Row: Tumm, Smith, Osturm, Mr. Humphrey, Mueller,
2nd Row: Kaufman, Elbert, Zielsdorf, Herrick, McLellan, Hilts, Mueller,
1st Row: Ginther, Smith, Kuckenbecker, Neumann, Jungerberg, Jaenke, Haskin, Miss Harrison

Lots of luck and best wishes to a swell friend and classmate. Keep in touch. Betty McClellan

Best Wishes to a swell sophomore Jenny Jo Good luck to a swell girl in the future. Marie

BEGINNING BAND

4th Row: Taylor, Hadorn, Staats, Newton, Goede, Kling, Grams, Lawson, Yule, Shong.
3rd Row: Shefchik, Pothos, Minghand, Johnson, Shoemaker, B. Shefchik, Balliett, Donnelly, Mr. Winch.
2nd Row: Jerome, Roth, K. Shong, Warmer, Berry, Rahl, Ives, Reetz, C. Shong, Hanson.
1st Row: Anderson, Colby, Watenphul, Ramsey.

BAND

3rd Row: Johnson, Goede, Balliett, Bierrow, Lange, Zebarth, Kuckenbecker, MacLachlan, Hondel, Young, R. Emanuel, J. Emanuel, Ostrum, Kaufman, Jacobson.
2nd Row: M. Hoehn, Schroeder, Sieg, Ginther, Livermore, Travis, Smith, Mueller, Sutton, Mueller, Staats, Hall, Shong, J. Hoehn, Mr. Winch.
1st Row: Kramchuster, Warner, Lambert, Haldemen, Miller, Hanson, Ruscin, Neumann, Anderson, Johnson, Bennett, Mueller, Hilts, Newton, Kramchuster.
Twirlers: Ringhand, Schefchik, Newton, J. Johnson, D. Johnson.

During the 1944-45 season the High School Band and it's sub-section, the Pep Band, have made themselves a very good record. The band, under the leadership of Mr. Winch, has made such a good record in the past year that it has been recognized by the Music War Council of America, on the basis of bands playing for patriotic events and for "bond concerts." The "bond concerts" were the original idea of our able director, Mr. Samuel R. Winch. The presentation of the award to the band for it's "music for victory" activities, during the Dec. 7th, 1944 "bond concert", marked the highpoint of our band year.

The band also marched for the homecoming celebration and manuevered during the halves of the homecoming game. In the bag of tricks were included the formation of several letters, including a "D" in honor of Durand, the opposing team, and an "A" in honor of the home team.

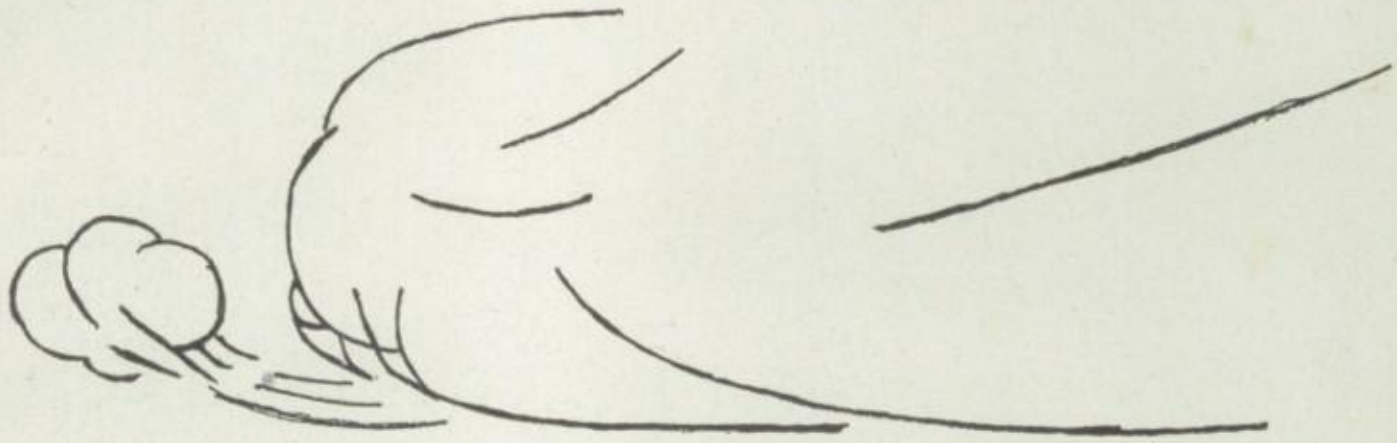
All through the football and basketball season the Pep Band made a practice of playing both at pep meetings and at all home games. It made a very good record throughout and seemed to be appreciated by the audience.

The last formal concert of the band was held March 22, 1945. There was a good crowd and the program was enjoyed by all. A successful informal concert was given down town in the band stand a week before school was dismissed. This event ended the band concerts for this year.

Among other activities, the band played for the Chicken Clinic on March 10, 1945. The final band event of the year will be the ceremonies on Memorial Day.

Due to the war, only a small tournament will be held. Bands in the radius of 25 miles will be able to compete.

SPORTS



FOOTBALL TEAM

3rd Row: McCune, Karlin, Sugars, Jungerberg, Pettis, Hoehn, McAdams Smith, Johnson.
2nd Row: Lowry, Emanuel, Hadorn, Jacobson, Young, Geride, Dickenson, Rahl, MacLachlan, Shong.
1st Row: Coach Humphrey, Drehmel, Shoemaker, Anderson Fredricks, Dickenson, Anderson, Bennett, Golden.

1944 FOOTBALL SEASON

Augusta	18	Mondovi	7
Augusta	0	Arcadia	6
Augusta	39	Osseo	0
Augusta	46	Whitehall	0
Augusta	31	Durand	7
Augusta	20	Black River Falls	4

The Augusta Beavers completed a very successful football season. Starting the season with seven letterman, the Beavers finished in second place for the third straight year. Augusta's new coach, Mr. Humphrey, developed his inexperienced team into a fine working machine. Much of the success of the team is due to the twelve graduating seniors. They are Fritz Lowry, Dick Emanuel, Ellie Anderson, Wally Shong, Milton Dickinsen, Don Gerike, Earl Drehmel, Charles Shoemaker, Clifford Fredrick, Jack Bennett, Jim Golden, and Bill Sugars.

In the opening game of the season, Augusta met last year's champs, Mondovi. It was a fast and hard-fought game with the Beavers gaining an 18-7 victory. Augusta scored in the first quarter on an intercepted pass and ninely yard run by Milton Dickinsen. Dick Emanuel scored in the second quarter, putting the Beavers ahead 12-0 at the half. Mondovi pushed over a touchdown and threatened the lead in the third quarter, Augusta found themselves again in the fourth period, with Dick Emanuel going over standing up to end the days scoring.

Traveling to Arcadia the following week, the beavers suffered their only defeat of the season. Arcadia was outplayed, but took advantage of the breaks to score in the last quarter. Augusta, scored a touchdown in the last two minutes, but due to a penalty, it was called back.

In their third game, the Beavers smothered Osseo by the score of 39-0. The scoring was evenly done, with touchdowns coming in each period. The scoring was done by Ellie Anderson with one touchdown, Fritz Lowry, two touchdowns and one extra point, and Dick Emanuel, three touchdowns and two extra points. Wally Shong, Augusta quarterback strained a tendon in his foot, which put him on the sidelines for the remainder of the season.

The following Thursday, the Augusta powerhouse overwhelmed Whitehall 46-0. The first team scored twice in each of the first three quarters, before being replaced by the reserves. The reserves pushed pushed acrossed the final score in the last period. Dick Emanuel led the scoring with four touchdowns and two extra points. Lowry with one touchdown and one extra point, Fredrick and Rahl with one touchdown each and Halvorson with one conversion scored the remaining points.

In the annual homecoming game, Augusta met and outclassed their opponent, Durand. The Beavers scored twice in the first quarter on an 18-yard run by Dick Emanuel and a pass from Emanuel to Don Gerike, over the goal line. Emanuel converted after the first touchdown. The first team was given a rest in the second period and Durand pushed across its only score. Emanuel scored twice and Ellie Anderson once in the last half, making the final outcome, Augusta 31-Durand 7.

Augusta journied to Black River Falls for their final and only night game of the season. Don Gerike scored on a pass and Milton Dickinsen on an intercepted pass with Dick Emanuel, converting both goals for the Beavers in the first quarter. The Black River Falls team tied it up in the second quarter two touchdowns and two extra points. Play during the third and most of the fourth period kept see-sawing back and forth in the center of the field. With but forty seconds of play remaining, Emanuel threw a pass to Gerike in the end zone giving Augusta a 20-14 victory.

Dick Emanuel, star halfback, scored in all games except one, making a total of 79 points on twelve touchdowns and seven extra points. He proved to be the conference's leading scorer.

Tackles, Sherwood Anderson and Howard Luedtke, center, Merle Jacobson and Haofback Dale Dickinsen are the only lettermen returning next season.

Fritz Lowry, fullback, made a showing as the most valuable all around backfield man for the year. Fritz with his three years of playing experience in the line came out in his senior year as a powerfull fullback. His expert blocking and tackling were a great factor in team morale and in the final scores also. Fritz was elected Most Valuable Player by the lettermen.

Honorary Captains were elected for each game and they were, Fritz Lowry, Mondove game; Dick Emanuel, Arcadia game; Wally Shong, Osseo game; Ellie Anderson, Whitehall game; Earl Drehmel, Durand game; and Don Gerike, Black River Falls game. Dick Emanuel was elected Captain at the close of the season.

CONFERENCE STANDINGS

	WON	LOST	TIED
Arcadia	5	0	1
Augusta	5	1	0
Mondovi	4	1	1
Durand	2	4	0
Black River Falls	1	4	1
Osseo	1	4	1
Whitehall	1	5	0

BASKETBALL TEAM

2nd Row: Coach Humphrey, Johnson, Gerike, Drehmel, D. Dickenson, Young.
1st Row: Lowry, M. Dickenson, Emanuel, Shong, Anderson, R. Johnson, Mgr.

1944-45 Basketball Season

	We	They		We	They
Altoona	43	36	Whitehall	71	27
Durand	55	14	Mondovi	36	26
Mondovi	37	40	Black River Falls	54	20
Black River Falls	30	26	Osseo	38	35
Osseo	28	12	Altoona	34	38
Fairchild	31	26	Arcadia	48	23
Arcadia	33	28	*Menominee	47	43
Fairchild	36	29	*Mondovi	39	24
Durand	47	27	*Eau Claire	29	37
Whitehall	58	32	* tournament games		

After completing a very successful football season, the Beavers put away their football togs and started playing basketball. Augusta fans were expecting big things of their team and they weren't too disappointed. With five lettermen returning from last years' great team, the future looked very bright. For the second straight year in a row, the Beavers won the conference championship, although they did lose one game to Mondovi. Winning the first two games in the tournament, Augusta lost the final to a tall Eau Claire team. The team scored a total of 793 points to 543 for their opponents, or an average of 41.75 points per game to 28.5 for the opposition. Dick Emanuel, Star forward, scored a total of 355 points to lead the team in scoring. The chances of next years team do not look too favorable, due to the graduation of seven seniors. They are Ellis Anderson, Dick Emanuel, Milton Dickinsen, Wally Shong, Fritz Lowry, Don Gerike and Earl Drehmel.

Augusta opened the season with their rivals, Altoona. The game was fast all the way with the Beavers proving to be the better team by a 43-36 score. Dick Emanuel led the scoring with 25 points.

The following week the Beavers met their first conference opponent, Durand. At times the game was very rough with a total of 31 fouls called. Durand was outscored in each quarter, with all Augusta reserves seeing action. Final score, Augusta 55, Durand 14.

In their second conference game, the Beavers suffered their first defeat at the hands of Mondovi. Augusta's lack of heighth and their poor shooting were the chief reasons for the loss. The Beavers missed shot after shot that would have given them victory. Final score, 40-37.

In their third conference game, the Beavers journied to Black River Falls. Augusta again had trouble with their shooting, and found themselves trailing 20-13 at the half. They outscored their opponents and took over the lead in the third quarter, which they held for the rest of the game. The final score was 30-26.

In their next game, the Beavers had no trouble in defeating Osseo. The game was very slow, with neither team showing to much strength on the offensive. The winners took an early lead which they kept lengthening throughout the game. Final score, 28-12.

The Beavers next game was a non-conference affair with Fairchild. The game was close all the way with Augusta edging out a 31-26 victory.

In their return match with Fairchild, Augusta rang up another victory. Fairchild's free-throw shooting ability kept the game close, but the Beavers fine all-around play gave them a 36-29 victory.

Durand was the next team to taste defeat at the hands of Augusta. The winners started to score at the beginning and continued throughout the game. Final outcome, 47-27.

The following week Augusta trounced Whitehall twice. The final score of the first meeting was 58-32. In the return game, the 71-27 score was even more lopsided.

Augusta next met Mondovi in a very hard fought battle. The score was close all the way until the last four minutes, when the Beavers put on a rally to give them a 36-26 victory. The Beavers proved that they could really play ball when the breaks were against them. The first five played the whole game and turned in a very commendable job. This victory gave the Beavers the conference the lead which they had lost in the last meeting with Mondovi.

Being inspired by their elemation to first place, the Beavers went on a scoring spree against Black River Falls. Augusta jumped to an early lead which they kept adding to as the game progressed. Final score was 54-20.

In their second game with Osseo, the Beavers played their only overtime game of the season. Trailing 34-32 with only seconds remaining, the Beavers tied the score on a bucket by Don Gerike. Coming out for the three minute overtime, Augusta put on the heat and sank two baskets to give them a 38-35 victory.

In their second engagement with Altoona, the Beavers suffered their second defeat. Augusta's game was definitely slowed down, due to the small floor. The railroaders sprand to an early lead, which the Beavers were unable to overcome. With time running out, the boys put on a drive that fell short at the final whistle. Final score was 38-34.

In their final game of the regular season, the Beavers gained a 48-23 victory over Arcadia. The win gave Augusta the undisputed championship of the Mississippi Valley Conference.

Augusta defeated Menomonee 47-43 in the first game of the Regional Tournament. The game was the fastest and best played contest of the Tounament. Trailing by six points at the end of the first quarter, the Beavers staged a second period rally that gave them a seven point lead at the half. The last half featured the same fine play as the first with the Indians being unable to overcome Augusta's lead. Dick Emanuel set the pace with 34 points to stage one of the finest shooting exhibitions ever witnessed by tournament fans.

The Beavers found themselves playing Mondovi in their second game. Having lost one and won one with the Buffalos, this game attracted a great deal of attention. In the first period, Augusta had a little trouble with their shots, until Wally Shong started sinking them. The Beavers held a nine point lead at the half. Dick Emanuel started going in the third period, and Augusta lengthened their lead. The fourth quarter saw the reserves give the first team a rest. Emanuel and Shong led the scoring with 13 and 12 respectively. Final score, 39-24.

In the final game of the tournament, Augusta lost to Eau Claire, 37-29. The Beavers being unable to connect with their shots found themselves trailing 10-0 at the end of the first quarter. Augusta tried desperately to overtake this lead in the remaining periods, but were unsuccessful. The Beavers were constantly handicapped by lack of height which proved to be the deciding factor in their loss

"B" TEAM

2nd Row: Coach Humphrey, MacLachlan, Hoehn, McAdam, R. Johnson, Mgr.
1st Row: Schacht, Rahl, Hadorn, Jacobson, Sugars

"HERE COME THE BRIDES"

The cast of the Junior Class Play:
2nd Row: M. Ayres, Anderson, Young, Jacobson, Miss Fortnum.
1st Row: A. Arries, Emanuel, Hoehn, Lange, Golden, Warner.
(Not on picture: Bob Halvorson and Don Johnson, Stage Mgr.)

SENIOR CLASS PLAY

Characters:

Dr. John Hillary, ("Old Doc")----------Jack Bennett
Dr. Robert Hillary--("Bob", his son)----------Dick Emanuel
Pa Brown (a neighbor)----------Wally Shong
Ma Brown (his wife)----------Janna Hilts
Margaret Burns (Bob's fianc'ee)----------Loris Zielsdorf
Dick Burns (her kid brother)----------Ellis Anderson
Janet Martin ("Old Doc's" niece)----------Adeline Mueller
Mr. Hepple (a lawyer)----------Milton Dickinsen
Dr. Edmond Brand (a friend of Bob)----------Earl Drehmel
Helen Brand (his daughter)----------Carol Smith
Mary Selby---------friends---------- Jean Herrick
Mrs. Rossi----------and----------Betty Kaufman
Mrs. Cronin--------patients----------Betty Kuckenbecker
Mrs. Mellon----------of----------Phyllis Honadel
Lois Warner--------"Old Doc"----------Goldine Neumann

The following is a short story of "Old Doc":
Old Doc Hillary thinks his son Bob is coming home from medical school to practice with him. But Young Doc has been offered a rich and easy big-city practice with Dr. Brand—and also a chance to marry Helen, his daughter. It all sounds fine, but for two things: First, Young Doc is still in love with his home-town girl, and second, he doesn't have nerve enough to tell his father that he isn't going to practice with him. The home-town girl breaks off her engagement when she hears of his plans, and Bob goes off on a trip with the Brands without facing his father. He leaves him a note—and when Old Doc reads it, he suffers a stroke. It's then that neighborly Ma Brown takes things in hand. She fakes a telegram to Old Doc, that makes him think Young Doc is taking over the home-town practice after all, and Old Doc dies happy in that belief. But Young Doc has no intention of doing any such thing—and says so when he hears what Ma Brown has done. Then, in a compelling scene of great emotional force, Ma shows Young Doc what half a century of practice with the home folks has meant in human lives saved. It's up to Young Doc to choose his practice—and his wife!

Best of luck to a swell classmate. Jerry Arndt

INDUSTRIAL ARTS ROOM

CLASS WILL

I, Ellis Anderson, will and bequeath my interest in the junior class to Jack Hoehn.
I, George Barstow, will and bequeath my ability to sing cowboy songs to Gene Autry.
I, Mildred Behrens, will and bequeath my chemistry book to anyone who may think he can understand it.
I, Jack Bennett, will and bequeath my numerous inventions to the patent office.
I, Dorothy Brown, will and bequeath my size 4½ shoe to Jim MacLachlan.
I, Audrey Dickinsen, will and bequeath my ability to teach Sunday school to Bob Horel.
I, Milton Dickinsen, will and bequeath my interest in Cadott to anyone who has enough gas.
I, Earl Drehmel, will and bequeath my trips to Eau Claire to get my glasses fixed to anyone who wants to skip school.
I, Naomi DuRoy, will and bequeath my long walk to school to Ruth Schroeder.
I, Ruth Elbert, will and bequeath my eyes to some referees.
I, Arlene Emanuel, will and bequeath my place in the glee club to Reno Sieg.
I, Dick Emanuel, will and bequeath my ability to interrupt teachers to Merle Jacobson.
I, Clifford Fredrick, will and bequeath my traps to Arlis Glenz.
I, Donald Gerike, will and bequeath my walk to school to Dick Johnson.
I, Marilene Ginther, will and bequeath my dancing ability to Art Solie.
I, Jim Golden, will and bequeath my sense of humor to Bob Hope.
I, Corrine Hagedorn, will and bequeath my numerous dates to Beatrice Walker.
I, Gladys Haskins, will and bequeath my blonde hair to Turk Fisher.
I, Jean Herrick, will and bequeath my navy men to Florence Huth.
I, Janice Hewitt, will and bequeath my waistline to Sherwood Anderson.
I, Janna Hilts, will and bequeath my continuous line to Doreen Sieg.
I, Phyllis Honadel, will and bequeath my swing and sway to Sammy Kaye.
I, Betty Johnson, will and bequeath my boy friends to Uncle Sam.
I, Loraine Jungerberg, will and bequeath my ability to hit all the night spots to Jeanette Rugotzke.
spots to Jeanette Rugotzke.
I, Betty Kaufman, will and bequeath my ability to play basketball to the Oshkosh All-Stars.
I, Eunice Knitter, will and bequeath my roller-skating technique to Helen Hammond.
I, Betty Kuckenbecker, will and bequeath my bass horn to anyone who thinks he has wind enough to play it.
I, Margaret Lange, will and bequeath my frequent absenses from school to Marie Hadorn.
I, Dale Lighthizer, will and bequeath my hair-do to Veronica Lake.
I, Frank Lowry, will and bequeath my radar ability to Bill Smith.
I, Doris Luedtke, will and bequeath my Monday morning absenses to Pauline Lange.
I, Adeline Mueller, will and bequeath my love for Harry James' protegee to Dorothy Kirkham.
I, Goldine Neumann, will and bequeath my nights away from home to Grace Mueller.
I, Kenneth Schacht, will and bequeath my ride on the Rodell Rocket to Flash Gordon.
I, Charles Shoemaker, will and bequeath my English book to the wastepaper drive.
I, Wallace Shong, will and bequeath my liking to the office to Bill Roepke.
I, Carol Smith, will and bequeath my interest in drummers to future drummers.
I, Helen Smith, will and bequeath my steady man to Arlene Herrick.
I, Bill Sugars, will and bequeath my ability to cut pulpwood to Joe Kaiser.
I, Anna Tumm, will and bequeath my numerous nights at Fournier's to Gloria Mueller.
I, Arnold Tumm, will and bequeath my quiet ways to LaMoine Erdman.
I, Beverly West, will and bequeath my future marriage to Arlis Glenz.
I, Dorothy Zank, will and bequeath my drawing ability to Charles Kuehn.
I, Elmer Zank, will and bequeath myself to the infantry.
I, Lala Zell, will and bequeath my deep voice to Jeanine Hubbard.
I, Loris Zielsdorf, will and bequeath my shorthand skill to Ruth Dobrenz.

CLASS PROPHECY

"I want to relate a little story to you, Fritz, now that you're settled down as president of the Super DeLuxe Plastic Shoe Manufacturing Corp., and I'm beginning to get dividends out of my latest enterprise, The Bennett Vital Statistics Bureau.

You see, a few months ago, back in the spring of 1955, I decided that I would like to have a record of what my old classmates were doing at the time. It struck me that such a survey would be good experience for my newly formed organization, so I set my original 602 investigators on the trail.

The first report that came in was in regard to William Sugars. Squirt, I discovered, had gone to Siberia in 1950 shortly after the failure of his attempt to drain the Mediterranean Sea for pulpwood land. But in Siberia he had just completed a new $15,000,000,000 portable saw-mill and is rapidly clearing off the Siberian forests.

A few minutes later Investigator No. 444 came into my office with the report that he had just run into Dorothy Brown on a westbound airliner, heading for her new assignment in her nursing career at a Marine Veterans Hospital. During their conversation on the trip she informed him that Corrine Hagedorn was now getting settled in her Park Avenue apartment after an eventful honeymoon. She also said that Carol Smith was soon to be married to a famous movie actor, Van Johnson. Her attendants were to be Janice Hewitt and Arlene Emanuel, together with their two fiances, two Mexican cowhands, Donald Gerike and Arnold Tumm.

After that the reports came in thick and fast. Clifford Frederick and Charles Shoemaker, I learned, have been in Africa trapping Gooney Birds. They are both multi-billionares now after selling millions of Gooney skins to Mr. George Barstow, the man who has made Wilson famous for "Barstow-Built Gooney Skin Coats."

Investigator No. 333½, better known to you as Naomi DuRoy, reports that Richard Emanuel, after putting up the Augusta Packing Plant, which can be seen several miles out on Riverview Drive, has formed a chain of meat markets across the nation and is referred to as "America's First Meat Baron." Assisting him in his profession are Doris Luedtke, Loraine Jungerberg, and Gladys Haskins who skim through the lockers in their heliocopter inspecting the meat. His very efficient bookkeeper, Betty Kuckenbecker, takes care of his personal checking account and keeps him in the clear.

Also in the meat market industry is Ellis Anderson, who has taken over part management of the Kohnke Meat Market in Augusta. Betty Kaufman is working for him as head cashier after having taught Dorothy Zank, Anna Tumm, and Betty Johnson the art of clerking in a grocery store.

We've found, too, that Margaret Lange is proprietress of an exclusive club in Hollywood which was erected in honor of the veteran sailors from World War II. It seems that Marilene Ginther is there,too, in hopes of seeing her man. The attractive hat check girl in the same club is Ruth Elbert. These three girls have had some jolly good times together since Ruth got her position through Dale Lighthizer, a Navy veteran himself.

It seems that Helen Smith and Beverly West have married in the ten years since graduation, but at the present time are suing for divorce. Helen believed that Beverly's husband was a better provider than hers and vice versa.

In the agricultural field, Mr. Earl Drehmel has just completed his laborless farm. By means of a control panel he can run his farm from an easy chair. All the scientists are watching Earl's experiment with interest, because if successfully operated it will revolutionize the farmers life.

Then, too, a newspaper came into our office one day, and I happened to see a familiar face on the front page. It was my old neighbor, Goldine Neumann, who had just won the annual bathing beauty contest at Miami Beach. Loris Zielsdorf was also making her home in the vicinity with her hero husband, an Air Force veteran of World War 11.

Milton Dickenson has been elected governor of Minnesota by the Ace-Card Party on the basis of his "Poker Deal" platform, which promises "A dollar bill in every pocket and five aces in every deck." His campaign manager was Kenneth Schacht and his secretary Phyllis Honadel.

Wallace "The Horn" Shong, has just swooned the public with his latest hit, "Trumphet Lullaby." Adeline Mueller is in charge of record and sheet music sales and reports that it is so successful that people buy records of it to cure insomnia to the soothing notes that emanate from his golden horn.

From New York the news comes in that Eunice Knitter and Mildred Behrens are Powers Models. Elmer Zank, another former classmate, has taken over the agency because of Mr. Powers failing health. As dress designers Elmer has hired Lala Zell and Jean Herrick. Jean turned to dress designing only because of her recent divorce from the famous millionaire, Baltus Van Hindergrift, who is now taking up wedded life with Janna Hilts, Dean of Women at Harvard.

We understand, too, that Audrey Dickinson is doing missionary work in South America. She went there immediately after World War 11 and finds that her work there is very interesting.

Jim Golden, following Dick's example, has been very successful with his "Golden Glow Electric Company", which only last week bought out General Electric and Westinghouse, in a fast move to corner the industry.

Well, Fritz, now that my investigators have been so successful in locating our former classmates, this ends my survey and I must find something else to do. I will go on with my census of the population of misquitos in the Everglades of Florida."

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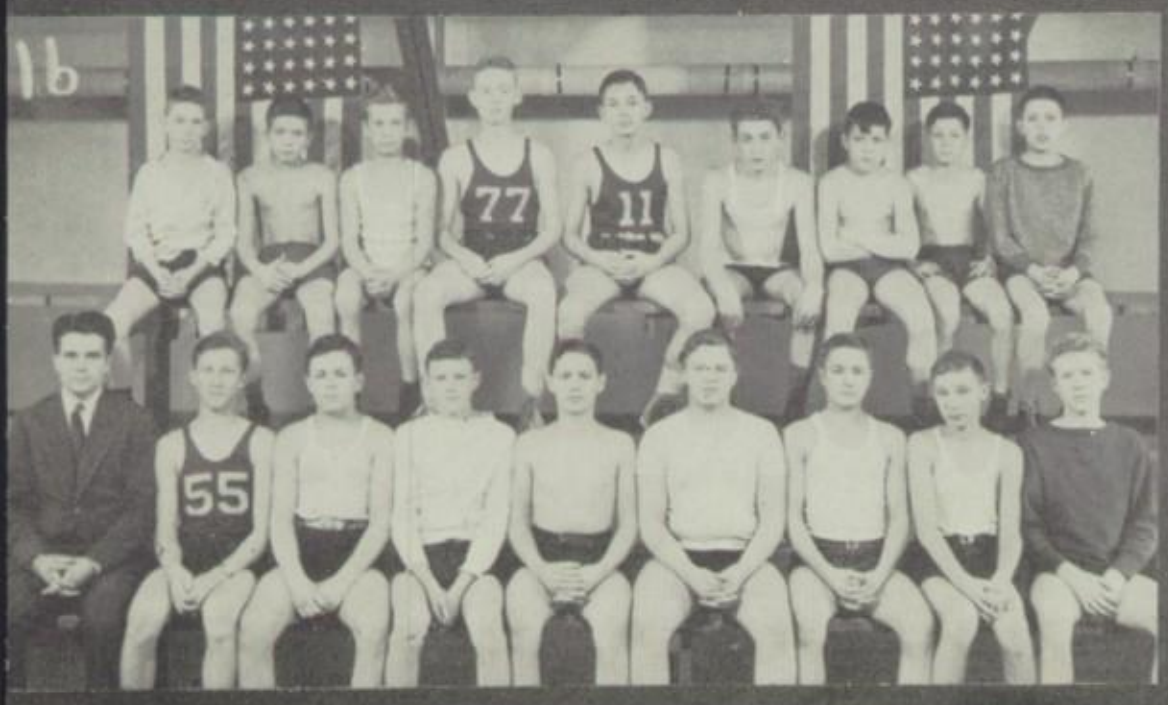
1. Don Johnson
2. Playmates
3. Jeanine and Patsy
4. So Refreshing
5. Take it easy, Katie!!
6. The Mob
7. Loris
8. Mary and Pauline
9. Merle
10. Milton and Dale
11. Feeding Time Ellie??
12. Where To now?
13. North Side Gang
14. Stud
15. Barbara Bartlett
16. Marilene
17. The Lake
18. Homecoming
19. Donadean
20. Hotdog
21. The Case Men
22. Picnic Day



1. Tired, Goldie?
2. Janice Hewitt
3. Two little Jungerbergs
4. Oh, that wind!!
5. The Clubhouse
6. Sleeping Beauty Winch
7. Bashful Jean?
8. Ruby
9. Having fun
10. Where to?
11. Phyllis Eaton
12. Homecoming Pep Band
13. Warm, huh Judy?
14. Smart Stuff
15. Homecoming Game
16. Little, weren't they!!
17. Jo Ann's riding legs.

Dear Jean,
I enjoyed working with you on your declamation. Maybe we'll do better next time. Since you haven't my picture you will have my name. Lillian Funk.

Dear Jean
Here's wishing you all the luck in the world. Thanks for your help.
Betty J.

The following business and professional men of the city of Augusta have contributed to help make our annual possible.

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Young's Barber Shop

George Howard's Barber Shop

Ardell Markham's Barber Shop

Gilbert E. Hatch

Coles Standard Service

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Thank You!!!

Best of Luck
to a swell classmate
Soulla L.

Best of Luck to a
swell Pal + friend.
Florence.

Best Wishes to a swell
sophomore girl.
A "Freshie"
Betty L.

Best of luck to
a nice friend
Gary H. Kling
Gary "45"

Dear Jean I'm sorry
we've had so much
trouble but I'm
sure we'll have
more next year
that won't
be
Jean we've had
a lot. But that's
like
Ole
I'm

Good luck again
hope we'll be together
don't you. But seriously
Florence
I'm sure we make
to you in Sandusky
argued a lot. But even
a interesting
have to stop
luck. Jean
Nancy

Best wishes to you
always. Don't forget
this good time
had.
Shaw
Shirley

Best